



# Memorandum

**To:** Charles Miller, Chair and  
Members of the Commission on the Future of Higher Education

**From:** Roger Benjamin

**Date:** March 28, 2006

**Re:** CAE Statement on the Role of Higher Education

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As I prepared for my presentation, with my colleague Steve Klein, on April 7th, I thought it was a good opportunity to present you with the position the Council for Aid To Education (CAE) Board of Trustees are taking regarding mandatory national testing in higher education. We do not assume you are going to make such a recommendation. However, you may find the views of the CAE Board of Trustees of interest.